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From: Levine, Carolyn

Sent: Mon 8/17/2015 10:45:20 PM Subject: RE: Posting data soon

Once I get the URL, I have my Congressional notifications ready to go, which will say that we posted (vs. released) data today.

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From: Smith, Paula

Sent: Monday, August 17, 2015 6:44 PM

To: EOC Public Information; Lee, Monica; Grantham, Nancy; Gray, David; Zito, Kelly; Hull,

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Subject: RE: Posting data soon

And how about congressional notification?

- Paula

From: Gentile, Laura On Behalf Of EOC Public Information

Sent: Monday, August 17, 2015 4:40 PM

To: Lee, Monica; Grantham, Nancy; Gray, David; Zito, Kelly; Smith, Paula; Hull, George; Hart,

Daniel

Cc: Levine, Carolyn; Harrison, Melissa; Cheatham, Reggie

Subject: Re: Posting data soon

Thanks Monica -- we were planning to post the narrative to the website alongside the data.

From: Lee, Monica

Sent: Monday, August 17, 2015 6:38 PM

To: EOC Public Information; Grantham, Nancy; Gray, David; Zito, Kelly; Smith, Paula; Hull,

George; Hart, Daniel

Cc: Levine, Carolyn; Harrison, Melissa; Cheatham, Reggie

Subject: RE: Posting data soon

Thanks John.

Making sure we're all on the same page here: We are NOT sending this out to press as a media alert of any kind. If asked, we'll direct folks to the website, but nothing official will be sent out as we have in past days.

Please call me if there are any questions.

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From: Senn, John On Behalf Of EOC Public Information

Sent: Monday, August 17, 2015 6:24 PM

To: Grantham, Nancy; Gray, David; Zito, Kelly; Smith, Paula; Hull, George; Hart, Daniel

Cc: Lee, Monica; Levine, Carolyn; Harrison, Melissa; Cheatham, Reggie

Subject: Posting data soon

Hi everyone--we are set to post data from 8/6 and 8/12 very soon. Here is the narrative:

Today, EPA has released additional water quality data from Aug. 6 and 12, 2015, on the Animas and San Juan rivers in New Mexico, including locations in Aztec and Farmington.

To assess the impacts of the release at the Gold King Mine, water quality samples were collected at two locations for 24 metals. Each surface water sample was analyzed for metals including arsenic, cadmium, lead and mercury.

Due to the highly variable conditions typical of this segment of the river, additional testing will be conducted, and we continue to work closely with the State of New Mexico on assessing drinking water, agriculture, livestock, and other critical water needs.

Water quality data from Aug. 6 and 12, 2015, on the Animas and San Juan rivers in New Mexico: